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Sent: Saturday, November 02, 2013 5:36 PM

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Subject: Sanctioning of a Charitable Event

Hello Everyone! Representative Mike Hawker, Chairman of Legislative Council, has sanctioned the below charitable event:

Alaska Governor's Awards for Arts and Humanities - <u>January 30, 2014</u> - Juneau Arts and Culture Center (JACC)

Please see the attached information on the event and Representative Hawker's approval. Legislative Council at their February 3, 2005 meeting, granted the Chair of Legislative Council the ability to sanction charitable events under AS 24.60.080(a)(2)(B). The Chair would at the next scheduled Legislative Council meeting have the Council ratify the Chair's approval of the event(s). It will also be posted on the Intranet under Legislative Council Sanctioned Charitable Events link.

Per AS 24.60.080(a)(2)(B) it allows lobbyists to give tickets to a charitable event to Legislators and legislative staff. The charity must be a 501(c)(3) corporation and the Legislative Council must give approval in advance of the gift giving. The value of the ticket counts against the annual limit on lobbyists (\$250).

Tickets from persons who are not lobbyists may exceed the \$250 gift limit. A disclosure of the value of the ticket is required within 60 days as well as gifts received at the particular charity event that have a value of \$250 or more.

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The Hon. Mike Hawker, Chairman Alaska Legislative Council 716 West 4th Avenue, Suite 610 Anchorage, Alaska 99501 Review Complete
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Chair-Legislative Council

Dear Representative Hawker:

I am writing on behalf of the Alaska Arts & Culture Foundation (AACF) to request that the Alaska Governor's Awards for the Arts & Humanities be officially sanctioned by the Alaska Legislative Council. The Governor's Awards are sponsored by AACF in conjunction with the Alaska Humanities Forum and the Alaska State Council on the Arts. The Governor's Awards will be held on Thursday the 30th of January 2014 at the Juneau Arts & Culture Center (JACC). AACF is a 501(c)3 organization and our taxpayer identification No. is 92-0171993.

Please let me know if you require any further information for consideration of our request, and thank you.

Yours sincerely,

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